

WHISTLEBLOWER

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Met in executive session to hold a hearing on Whistleblower. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

Joint Meetings**U.S. INTELLIGENCE OPERATIONS**

Joint Economic Committee: Committee concluded hearings to examine the current state of intelligence operations in the United States, focusing on Russian radio frequency technology, Russia's offensive biological weapons program, and Chinese intelligence operations, after receiving testimony from Victor I. Sheymov, ComShield Corporation, Washington, D.C., former KGB Eighth Chief Directorate; Kenneth Alibek, Arlington, Virginia, former First Deputy of the Soviet Union's Offensive Biological Warfare Program; Nicholas Eftimiades, Chinese Intelligence Operations, Silver Spring, Maryland; and Brian Fairchild, Brian P. Fairchild and Associates, Seattle, Washington, former Staff Operations Officer, Central Intelligence Agency's Directorate of Operations.

**COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR THURSDAY,
MAY 21, 1998**

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, to hold joint hearings with the Committee on Foreign Relations, to examine the status of Iraqi sanctions, 10 a.m., SD-419.

Subcommittee on Energy Research and Development, Production and Regulation, to hold hearings on S. 1141, to amend the Energy Policy Act of 1992 to take into account newly developed renewable energy-based fuels and to equalize alternative fuel vehicle acquisition incentives to increase the flexibility of controlled fleet owners and operators, and S. 1418, to promote the research, identification, assessment, exploration, and development of methane hydrate resources, 2 p.m., SD-366.

Committee on Environment and Public Works, business meeting, to consider pending calendar business, 9:30 a.m., SD-406.

Committee on Foreign Relations, to hold joint hearings with the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, to examine the status of Iraqi sanctions, 10 a.m., SD-419.

Full Committee, to hold hearings on the nomination of Jeffrey Davidow, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Mexico, 2 p.m., SD-419.

Committee on Governmental Affairs, Subcommittee on International Security, Proliferation and Federal Services, to hold hearings to examine the benefits of commercial space launch for foreign satellite and Intercontinental Ballistic Missiles (ICBM) programs, 10 a.m., SD-342.

Committee on the Judiciary, business meeting, to consider pending calendar business, 10 a.m., SD-226.

Committee on Labor and Human Resources, to hold hearings on genetic information issues, 10 a.m., SD-430.

Committee on Indian Affairs, to hold oversight hearings on addressing the unmet health care needs in Indian country, 1 p.m., SD-106.

Select Committee on Intelligence, to hold hearings on the nomination of Joan Avalyn Dempsey, of Virginia, to be Deputy Director of Central Intelligence for Community Management, 11 a.m., room to be announced.

NOTICE

For a listing of Senate committee meetings scheduled ahead, see page E929 in today's Record.

House

Committee on Agriculture, hearing to review U.S. Agriculture, the Asian Financial Crisis, and the International Monetary Fund, 10:30 a.m., 1300 Longworth.

Committee on Commerce, Subcommittee on Telecommunications, Trade, and Consumer Protection, hearing on Electronic Commerce: Doing Business On-Line, 10 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

Committee on Education and the Workforce, Subcommittee on Early Childhood, Youth and Families, to markup the following measures: H. Res. 401, expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that social promotion in America's schools should be ended and can be ended through the use of high-quality, proven programs and practices; H. Res. 399, urging the Congress and the President to work to fully fund the Federal Government's obligation under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act; H.R. 3254, IDEA Technical Amendments Act of 1998; H.R. 3871, to amend the National School Lunch Act to provide children with increased access to food and nutrition assistance during the summer months; H.R. 3874, WIC Reauthorization Amendments of 1998; and H.R. 3892, English Language Fluency Act, 10 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

Committee on Government Reform and Oversight, to consider the following: H.R. 3630, to redesignate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 9719 Candelaria Road, NE, in Albuquerque, New Mexico, as the "Steven Schiff Post Office"; H.R. 3808, to designate the United States Post Office located at 47526 Clipper Drive in Plymouth, Michigan, as the "Carl D. Pursell Post Office"; H.R. 2798, to redesignate the building of the United States Postal Service located at 2419 West Monroe Street, in Chicago, Illinois, as the "Nancy B. Jefferson Post Office Building"; H.R. 2799, to redesignate the building of the United States Postal Service located at 324 South Laramie Street, in Chicago, Illinois, as the "Reverend Milton R. Brunson Post Office Building"; H.R. 1704, Congressional Office of Regulatory Analysis Creation Act; pending Committee business; and release of depositions, 10 a.m., 2154 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Census, hearing on Oversight of the 2000 Census: Reviewing the Long and Short Form Questionnaires, 1:30 p.m., 2247 Rayburn.

Committee on International Relations, Subcommittee on Asia and the Pacific, to mark up H. Con. Res. 270, acknowledging the positive role of Taiwan in the current Asian financial crisis and affirming the support of the American people for peace and stability on the Taiwan Strait and security for Taiwan's democracy, 2 p.m., 2200 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade, hearing on Intellectual Property Rights: the Music and Film, 1 p.m., 2172 Rayburn.

Committee on the Judiciary, hearing on the following bills: H.R. 2448, to provide protection from personal intrusion; and H.R. 3224, Privacy Protection Act of 1998, 9 a.m., 2141 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on the Constitution, hearing on H.R. 3682, Child Custody Protection Act, 10 a.m., 2226 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Courts and Intellectual Property, oversight hearing on issues in trademark protection and the impact of regulatory delay on patents; and to hold a hearing on the following: H.R. 3891, Trademark Anticounterfeiting Act of 1998; and H.R. 3119, to amend the Trademark Act of 1946 with respect to the dilution of famous marks, 2 p.m., 2237 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Immigration and Claims, to consider subpoenas of witnesses; and to hold an oversight hearing on Alternative Proposals to Restructure the Immigration and Naturalization Service, 9:00 a.m., 2237 Rayburn.

Committee on Resources, Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources, to continue hearings on H.R. 3334, Royalty Enhancement Act of 1998, (Part II), 1 p.m., 1334 Longworth.

Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands, to mark up the following measures: H.J. Res. 113, approv-

ing the location of a Martin Luther King, Jr. Memorial in the Nation's Capitol; H.R. 1042, to amend the Illinois and Michigan Canal Heritage Corridor Act of 1984 to extend the Illinois and Michigan Canal Heritage Corridor Commission; H.R. 1894, to reauthorize the Delaware Water Gap National Recreation Area Citizen Advisory Commission for 10 additional years; H.R. 2223, Education Land Grant Act; H.R. 2776, to amend the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the establishment of the Morristown National Historical Park in the State of New Jersey, and for other purposes" to authorize the acquisition of property known as the Warren property; H.R. 2993, to provide for the collection of fees for the making of motion pictures, television productions, and sound tracks in National Park System and National Wildlife Refuge System units; and H.R. 3047, to authorize expansion of Fort Davis National Historic Site in Fort Davis, Texas, by 16 acres, 10 a.m., 1324 Longworth.

Committee on Science, Subcommittee on Basic Research and the Subcommittee on Energy and Environment, joint oversight hearing on External Regulation of DOE Labs: Status of OSHA and NRC Pilot Programs, 10 a.m., 2318 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Space and Aeronautics, oversight hearing on Asteroids: Perils and Opportunities, 2:30 p.m., 2318 Rayburn.

Committee on Small Business, Subcommittee on Empowerment, hearing on entrepreneurial education, 10 a.m., 2360 Rayburn.

Committee on Ways and Means, Subcommittee on Social Security, to continue hearings on the Future of Social Security for this Generation and the Next, 10 a.m., B-318 Rayburn.